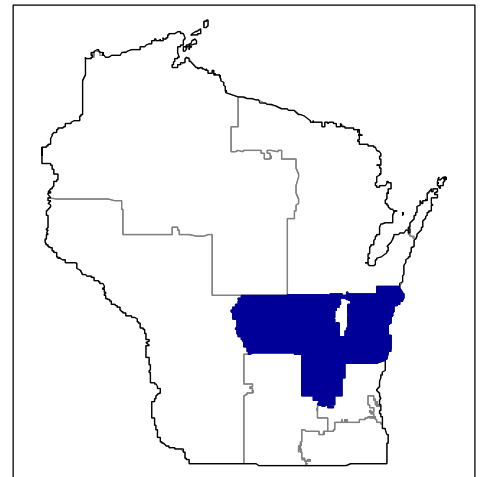




# 2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile

Correction issued January 2005. See Economic Characteristics table.



## District 6, Wisconsin

**Number of farms:** 10,625

**Land in farms:** 2,175,334 acres

**Average size of farm:** 205 acres

**Irrigated Land:** 102,229 acres

**Total Number of Farm Operators:** 16,374

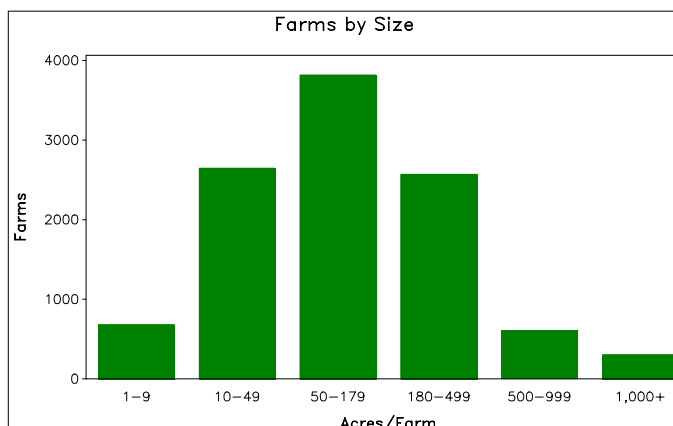
**Market Value of Production:** \$981,682,000

**Market Value of Production, average per farm:** \$92,394

**Government Payments:** \$41,084,000

**Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments:** \$7,389

**Gross Income from Farm Related Sources:** \$28,794,000



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**Ranked items among the 8 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002**

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	981,682	3	7	58	418
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) <sup>2</sup></b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	163,106	3	7	58	371
Tobacco	(D)	(D)	4	(D)	106
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	112,670	2	7	27	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	5,577	4	7	117	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	21,936	6	7	181	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	10,536	1	7	7	349
Poultry and eggs	8,895	5	7	173	382
Cattle and calves	129,053	3	7	62	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	486,518	3	7	6	339
Hogs and pigs	10,509	3	7	90	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	1,244	3	7	68	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,655	4	7	166	398
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	7	(D)	321
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	521,804	4	7	54	394
Pheasants	160,929	1	7	1	327
Mink	104,782	2	7	3	61
Layers 20 weeks old and older	104,528	4	7	177	387
Hogs and pigs	66,856	3	7	85	371
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Corn for grain	483,982	2	7	35	327
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	406,022	4	7	43	391
Soybeans	283,811	2	7	55	269
Corn for silage	131,184	4	7	10	330
All Vegetables harvested	109,303	1	7	5	398

**Other Congressional District Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	3,057	Farming	6,690
\$1,000 to \$2,499	762	Other	3,935
\$2,500 to \$4,999	697		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	786	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	825	Male	9,718
\$20,000 to \$24,999	304	Female	907
\$25,000 to \$39,999 <sup>3</sup>	530		
\$40,000 to \$49,999 <sup>3</sup>	308	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1,006		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1,460	All operators <sup>4</sup> by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	550	White	15,941
\$500,000 or more	340	Black or African American	4
		American Indian or Alaska Native	12
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <sup>3</sup>	796,881	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
Average per farm (\$) <sup>3</sup>	74,874	Asian	9
		More than one race	20
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	256,422	All operators <sup>4</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	81
Average per farm (\$)	24,093		

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

<sup>3</sup> Value corrected January 2005.

<sup>4</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.